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BY THE LATE ROBERT T. CONRAD.

Where, where is he? Thus spake the sages
Who sought their Saviour from afar;
The King—the God—the Rock of Ages,
Who hither led us with his star!

Where is the King? But, star-forsaken,
They searched the palace halls in vain;
That Star of Hope its light was breaking
O'er a low hut on Bethlehem's plain.

They saw—rejoiced—and knelt before him;
And was it strange that thus they bowed?—
When God's own Star was beaming o'er him,
And angel anthems hymn'd aloud?

"To God be glory!" Spirit voices,
In Heaven attuned, now thrill the earth;
"And peace to man;" thus Heaven rejoices
Over the Man-God's humble birth.

Joy! For our orb's eclipse is over!
Joy! Earth grows green in Heaven's own breath;
With Faith around, and love above her,
Hope to the hopeless—bliss to death!

Joy! Joy! With angel voices ringing
Over the earth, can earth be dead?
Let praise, and prayer, and joy, upspringing!
From a world saved, the glory spread!

Joy! For the faithful shall not perish!
Christ lives to save, died to atone;
But lot this truth each bosom cherish;
He saves the pure in heart alone!

I WAIT FOR THEE.

The hearth is swept—the fire is bright,
The kettle sings for tea;
The cloth is spread, the lamp is light,
The muffins smoke in napkins white,
And now I wait for thee.

Come home, love, come; thy task is done;
The clock ticks listingly;
The blinds are shut, the curtain down,
The arm-chair to the fire-side drawn
The boy is on my knee.

Come home, love, come; his deep fond eye
Looks round him whistfully;
And when the whispering winds go by,
As if thy welcome steps were nigh,
He crows exultingly.

In vain—he finds the welcome vain,
And turns his glance on mine
So earnestly, that yet again,
His form unto my heart I strain,
That glance is so like thine.

Thy task is done—we miss thee here;
Where'er thy footsteps roam,
No heart will spend such kindly cheer,
No beating heart, no listening ear,
Like those who wait thee home.

Ah, now along the cross walk fast,
The well known step doth come;
The bolt is drawn, the gate is past,
The boy is wild with joy at last—
A thousand welcomes home.

Select Miscellany.

LUKE BLAIR'S ENCOUNTER WITH A PACK OF WOLVES.

"God have mercy upon us!" This exclamation was not more sudden than startlingly uttered, and sent the chills creeping from the leaping heart in pricking sensations over the skin. It was the first time I had ever noticed such a tremor in the old squatter's tones, or a manner which indicated that he ever felt fear. It was something unusual, and with my own young pulse quickened, I watched the old man by the dim light of the fire.

I had known Luke Blair—"Old Luke," as he was called—for ten years, and yet knew nothing of his history. There was a mystery about him which none ever penetrated, and an eccentricity of manner which gave his movements a peculiar interest to his rough, but true-hearted comrades. He spent his time in the woods, and never brought in anything but wolves' scalps. There was a fierce burning look in his eye as he flung them upon the ground, and he would sit for hours after one of his excursions with his head bowed between his hands. As unsocial as was the squatter, he was respected by all who had come in contact with him. He was brave to madness, and yet as cool in danger as in his camp. Nor was there anything rough in his manners; on the contrary, there was an easy bearing, which—almost elegance—bespoke a degree of education and refinement. And when he *did* speak his language was well chosen.

Blair had other qualifications which won the respect of the hardy spirits around him. He was six feet in height, broad shouldered, full chested, and form erect, and his limbs were models of symetry and strength; hair and beard had grown unshorn since we had known him, and were thickly sprinkled with gray. But the forehead, though darkly bronzed and deeply seamed, was almost massive, and the head of faultless mould. The eye was dark, lustrous, and, in excitement, of peculiar and fascinating power. Around his neck was some sacred token, which no eye had seen, and which he guarded with a jealous care. There was something about the old man—his commanding presence, his bravery, and his lonely habits and sad manner—which won my young heart, and I watched every opportunity of manifesting my regard. I had engaged him to guide me to the Mississippi, by way of——Prairie.

For several days we threaded the dense forests which intervened, and under great difficulties. The snow had fallen to an unusual depth, the cold was intense, and rendered more intolerable by the fierce wind from the prairie waste. We were warmly dressed, but there were times when the weary frame began to feel the dreamy influence of the sleep which steals so fatally over the senses. On the night in question we had turned aside to seek the shelter of a grove of small timber, and to find fuel for our fire.—We had faced the blinding storm all day, and could hardly keep sufficiently awake to kindle the fire and secure wood for the night. We had just accomplished this when the hunter made the exclamation at the head of our story. I was awake at once, and the blood tinged through my chilled veins, for I knew that Luke Blair would not speak without cause. "Hark!"

The word was but a whisper, but had a terrible distinctness. His hand had involuntarily sought his rifle, and his head turned towards the woods. I heard nothing but the wild roar of the storm as it swept by. "There 'tis again! The devils are on our track!" and he clutched his knife handle with a steady grasp, and breathed hardly between his nostrils. I heard the noise this time which had attracted his attention before, swelling, as the storm lulled an instant, into a wild, protracted howl, as from a thousand famished throats, clear, dismal, and wailing with that fearful tone which startles the boldest, even at their firesides. Blair turned, and as our eyes met, he slowly whispered, "A pack of hungry wolves! God have mercy upon us!" A sickening sensation went like a flash to the heart, and then came burning thoughts of home, and again the chills, as I thought of the shelterless prairie and blinding snow.

"Again! the black devils are on our tracks!" As Blair spoke he laid his hand upon my arm, and with an expression of sadness which I cannot forget, looked me steadily in the eye. There was a tremor of the lip which I had never seen before. It was not fear; I knew that; but some terrible remembrance or presentment which came over him with irresistible power.—"The hour has come! I knew it would—have felt it for days. I do not fear death, but it is horrible to be hunted down in such a spot as this, and be torn to pieces by infernal devils." His breath came thick and hissing through his clenched teeth, and his chest heaved with intense emotion.

"Here," said he, lifting the soiled string over his head, and taking a locket attached to it in his hand, "is the shadow of one you never knew, but the original was once the light of my young life, and came with me to this territory when the world was bright with hope. I left her in the cabin one day, and went to my work as usual. She crossed the valley and came where I was working. Wishing to fell the tree I was at work upon, I urged her to cross the log over the creek before dark, and I would immediately follow her. She had not been gone but a little time, when there burst up between me and our cabin that long, freezing sound, the howl of a wolf. It was answered as if from a thousand throats up and down the valley, until one wild, startling, unearthly howl swelled on the still evening air. God, how that howl went to the soul! I reeled in utter weakness a moment, but soon rallied, and with the speed and energy of despair, rushed down the path. I had reached the stream, and was upon the old trunk thrown across, when another and a different sound reached my ears. It seemed that my brain would burn into ashes under the fiery heat, and my heart burst from my bosom. That was the cry of my wife, a clear, wailing shriek of mental agony."

Blair dropped his head and thrust his fingers into his ears, as if that terrible sound was again ringing through the forest. A moment, and he hurriedly resumed: "I remember no more until the morning broke, and the sun smiled through the trees upon the terrible scene. It was horrible! The ground was torn and stained with dark spots where pools of blood had sunk away. Seven long, black bodies lay around gashed by the axe, some of them glaring fiercely as they fell, their tongues thrust out, and the white fangs gleaming fearfully in their open jaws. The axe itself lay within reach, red with blood its entire length. My own arms were also stained, and still damp. But, God of mercy! a worse sight than all this met my gaze of returning consciousness. Tightly in my arms I was holding the head of my wife, her form bare and limbs torn into shreds." The old man sobbed convulsively, and wrung his hands until it seemed that the blood would start from his fingers. "Coming!" Again, and nearer than before, the dismal howl rose above the storm.—The camp fire burned dimly in the blinding storm of snow, and a sense of loneliness and terror came over the spirit darker than the sky overhead. "Here, take this," said Blair, as he handed me the locket, "and if you survive, carry it to———, New York, and I will thank you. Boy, I am not afraid to die. Death will be rest, and I shall see Maria. We must take to the tree. It is freeze, or death by the wolves.—Quick boy! Good bye."

I felt the hot tears drop on my hands as the old man pressed his quivering lips upon it, and then pushed on towards the trees. We had need to be quick, for we had hardly reached the branches when a score of long, gloomy shadows shot out of the surrounding darkness, and sent up a yell which went to the heart colder than the breath of the wintry blast. They paid but little attention to the dim fire; and scenting their prey gathered in a shadowy circle beneath us.

"Lash yourself fast, boy, and commend your soul to God, for you will freeze, and better rot on the oak than be torn by the devils." "Its of no use," he continued, as I suggested that the sound of our guns might reach the inmates of the cabin, "they would not hear 'em in the storm, and besides, I swear by the living God that I will send some of them to h—ll before I die."

Blair commenced his deadly work, and as one of the wolves fell others fought and snarled, and gnashed their teeth over the horrid feast. Their teeth sounded like the smiting of steel upon steel. Still they howled more fiercely as the slaughter went on. "My gun is wet, and will not go," I heard Blair mutter with a curse.—"Damn 'em, I'll try them with the axe. My wildly uttered warning was too late, for as it swelled above the sounds below with unnatural strength. Blair leaped down with a shout of rage and defiance, and with his axe and knife fought the pack face to face. I grew sick at heart as I watched with burning eye-balls the struggle through the darkness. I could see the black forms swarming around the trunk, where Blair had backed up. After the first howl of joy, as it seemed to me, when Blair jumped down, the wolves were less noisy, and apparently more wary, for they seemed to realize that they had an enemy to deal with. I madly called to him, and muttered curses, as I tried to untie the thongs with which I had lashed myself to the trunk. "Ha! ha! glorious sport here, boy; another devil the less!" and his maniac laugh and shout came up scarcely less startling than those of the wolves around him. I knew that he was mad.

I could hear the vice-like jaws close constantly around Blair, and now and then his axe sink with a heavy, crushing sound into some skull, and then all grew more dim; a delicious feeling of happiness crept over me; the sounds of the strife below died out, and sweet dreams stole over me like the summer's breath. The reports of our rifles had reached the cabin; which, I afterwards learned, was not twenty rods from where we camped. The inmates, numbering some fourteen, by the addition of emigrants who had stopped in the storm, came out with dogs and guns, and reached the spot but a moment too late. Blair had lodged his axe so deeply in the head of a wolf that the corners remained fast, and the others tore him down.—They were literally shot down with their fangs holding to the torn flesh, and his warm blood jetting over their skins. The mangled body was snatched from them, and I cut down from the tree and carried to the cabin.

I was all winter recovering from my injuries. The awakening from that dream of death was a terrible awakening, and I suffered more than pen can describe. Blair was buried on the edge of the prairie, and when I left in the spring, the early flowers were already springing upon his grave. The old man rests sweetly under the shadow of the old oak.

I carried the locket to its destination. The sister clutched it eagerly, and thanked me, though her heart almost broke under the stroke. I remained in New York through the summer, and in the autumn the sister returned with me to ——— Prairie, and we built our cabin in sight of the brother's grave. The oak is now dead and splintered, and the spot where he died densely covered with an undergrowth, whose vines shut out the daylight, and guard it even from the footfall of man or beast. Last week our dog brought out a skull, with the wide gash of an axe hit through the top. Quietly, and without knowledge of my wife, I went and tossed the memento into the thickest growth of the place.—*Daily Wisconsin.*

VERY TRUE.—A Pittsburgh Judge in charging a jury recently, used the following language with reference to ardent spirits and its doings: "Independent of its effects, individual, social, moral, religious, and political; drink wields the club—brandishes the bowie-knife—hurls the bullet—nerves the burglar—inspires the thief, and kindles the torch of incendiary. It first maddens the tiger, and then unchains him."

☞ Jones, while recently engaged in splitting green wood at Memphis, struck a false blow, causing the stick to fly up. It struck him on the jaw, and knocked out a front tooth.
"Ah," said Bill, meeting him soon after, "you had a dental operation performed I see."
"Yes," replied the sufferer, "axe-iden-tal!"

☞ In Turkey, it is a law that no male child born of any daughter of the Sultan shall be allowed to live. This barbarous custom is still in full force at the Serglio, and a son recently born to the Sultana, the wife of Mahmound Pasha, was pitilessly strangled immediately after its birth.

☞ It is said by some Yankee to be an excellent plan always to measure a man's length before you kick him, for it is better to bear an insult than to make an unsuccessful attempt at thrashing a fellow, and get your eye teeth knocked out.

☞ Men sometimes think that the high dark cliffs of sorrow will darken their stream of life forever; but suddenly the green and undulating meadows spread far away in pastoral beauty, and the daisies bloom along the banks where the willows hang with bending gracefulness.

☞ Willis cleverly says, in one of his sketches, that a literary reputation is to be built at this day, like the walls of Jerusalem—with a trowel in one hand for plastering friends—and a sword in the other for smiting enemies.

Singular Ghost Story.

Most ghost stories are only foolish and laughable; but this one is certainly melancholy in the extreme.

Within the past year the people of a village in a Western State became greatly excited by the alleged nightly appearance of a ghost in the village graveyard. Few of them, indeed, had dared to see it, but some had; and they, without making too familiar with it, had still seen it come and go, walk about, seat itself, &c.; and the statements of all those were too well authenticated to be disregarded.

What the few saw the many believed, and the whole community soon became excited upon the subject of this strange nightly visitation to the graves of the dead. Of course the ghost was in the usual grave clothes, in which, so far as we know, ghosts always appear, and it was entirely regular in its hours—always arising among the tombs, at just midnight, and leaving at near early dawn. It had often been seen to come and go, passing over fences in its course; but no one had learned whence it came or whither it went.

At length the matter from being the town talk became the town dread. Numerous individuals got excited, and superstitious ones grew excited and melancholy and taciturn; people looked doubtingly at each other as they passed, in twilight, and all contrived their journeys at that hour, so as not to approach th last resting-place of their departed friends.

The growing dread at length became insufferable, and engaged all minds. There chanced to be in the village a youth of nineteen, from Western New York, whose domestic education had carefully excluded all faith in supernatural agencies, and who, therefore, looked only to natural causes for explanations of the events and occurrences of this life.

This youth resolved to fathom this mystery of the graveyard ghost. He found one associate, and the two after nightfall secreted themselves among the tombs to observe. Punctually, as the hour of twelve drew nigh, the ghost which had caused so much dread, was seen approaching.—The moon was shining brightly, and the white-robed object was seen most distinctly. Overcoming two fences, it entered the grave-yard within actual reach of the youths who had set on foot the investigation, and as the light fell fully upon the face of the ghost, they recognised the well-known features of an acquaintance, who was then in her early widowhood. Her husband had recently been buried there, and so dreadful had been the shock that the reason of the wife had been dethroned, and she was now a wandering maniac. She saw not her observers, but seated herself, as was her wont, upon the grave of him whom she had loved but too fondly. The two then approached the unfortunate, and addressed her in kindness. She knew them not, but conversed freely with them, calling them angels, and craving their protection. She was in her night-clothes, and her wandering thus, through the agony she had suffered, and her nightly occupying this sad seat, had converted that poor mental wreck of humanity into a ghost. On this occasion she could not be induced to abandon her post, and of necessity she was left there to complete the hours of that night's pilgrimage. She is now in a lunatic asylum.

GENIUS, TALENT AND CLEVERNESS.—Genius rushes like a whirlwind—talent marches like a cavalcade of heavy horses—cleverness skims like a swallow in the summer evening, with a sharp shrill note and a sudden turning. The man of genius dwells with men and with nature; the man of talent in his study, but the clever man dances here, there and every where like a butterfly in a hurricane, striking everything but enjoying nothing, but too light to be dashed to pieces. The man of talent will attack theories, the clever man will assail the individual, and slander private character. The man of genius despises both, he heeds none; he lives in himself, shrouded in the consciousness of his own strength, he interferes with none, and walks forth an example that "eagles fly alone." Clever men write verses, men of talent write prose, but the man of genius writes poetry.

☞ A country captain, desiring to cross a field came to an opening in the fence large enough to permit two persons to pass abreast. Unfortunately he was deficient in military tactics, and could not remember the order which would have accomplished the difficult task of filing through, but his ingenuity did not desert him, and therefore ordered a halt, and then said: "Gentlemen, you are dismissed for one minute, when you will fall in on t'other side of the fence."

☞ There is dew in one flower and not in another, because one opens its cup and takes it in, while the other closes itself and the drop runs off. God rains goodness and mercy as wide as the dew, and if we lack them, it is because we will not open our hearts to receive them.

☞ "Peter," said a teacher to one of his pupils, "you are such a bad boy, that you are not fit to sit in the company of good boys on the bench. Come up here and sit by me, sir!"

☞ The are some persons in the world who never permit us to love them except when they are absent; as when present they chill our affection by showing a great want of appreciation of it.

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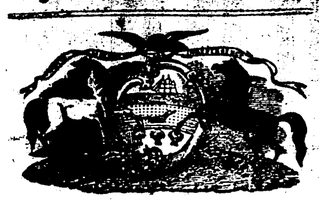

ALTOONA, PA.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1859.

☞ Where parties are unknown to us, our rule is for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether one, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

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Advertising Agents, 119 Nassau street, New York, and 10 State street, Boston, are the Agents for the *Altoona Tribune*, and the most influential and largest circulating Newspapers in the United States and the Canadas. They are authorized to contract for us at our *lowest rates*.

The Executions.

On Friday last, Green and Copeland, negroes, and Cook and Coppie, white men, were executed at Charlestown, Va., for their participation in the Harper's Ferry raid. Green and Copeland were hung at half-past 11 o'clock, on a gallows erected on the spot on which John Brown was executed two weeks previous. Green's neck was broken by the fall, and he died without a struggle. Copeland writhed in violent contortions for several minutes.—Cook and Coppie were executed on the same gallows at 1 o'clock, P. M.

On the previous evening a daring attempt to escape was made by Cook and Coppie. It appears that they had cut through their shackles by means of a barlow knife and chissel, thus enabling them to pry them off and put them on at will. They then made a hole in the wall behind their bed, which they concealed by placing the bed against it in daylight, or when any one was in the room. The bricks taken out they hid in the drum of the stove, and placed the dirt and plastering between the bedclothes. At 8 o'clock on Thursday evening, they opened the hole and made their way into the jail yard, where, by means of the timber used in putting up the gallows for Brown, they were enabled to reach the top of the wall. Cook succeeded in getting to the top of the wall, when he was challenged by a guard on the outside, and not answering, the guard fired at him. Cook seemed determined to persist, and was about making an attempt to jump down, when the sentinel declared his intention of impaling him on his bayonet; he then retreated into the jail yard with Coppie, and both gave themselves up without further resistance. Cook afterwards remarked that, if he could have got over and throttled the guard, he would have made his escape.

☞ Gen. Scott, the distinguished military chieftain, has reaped new honors from his missions to San Juan, and has returned from his long and toilsome journey in perfect health and vigor, his advanced age notwithstanding. It is rarely that the same talent for negotiation and diplomacy that he exhibits are found in combination with military skill and renown. The estimation in which Gen. Scott is held at home is shown in the fact, that for any difficult mission the Administration, of whatever party, invariable turns to him for counsel and aid, and the high reputation he has acquired abroad was shown in the change of tone in the press of England immediately consequent upon his selection by our government as its representative at the scene of difficulty. His success as a pacificator was universally anticipated, and it has been achieved, not by the surrender of one jot or title of American rights, but by uprightness and sound judgement.

☞ A lively place for editors is Nashville, Tennessee. One editor, Mr. Poindexter, of the *Union and American*, was shot down a few days ago, and the co-editor of the same paper died of apoplexy a few days afterwards. Mr. Hall, editor of the *News*, is in jail on a charge of murder, and the editors of the *Gazette* one night last week found a barrel of gunpowder under their building, with a slow match attached, designed evidently to blow up the entire concern, editors and all. Editors must be happy people in that place, and in great demand. There are a number of literary aspirants who find occupation difficult to obtain at the North, who might find a situation or an early grave, by proceeding thither.

☞ The Hon. John C. Breckenridge, Vice President of the United States, was on Monday elected a U. S. Senator from Ky., to succeed Hon. J. Crittenden, whose term expires on the 4th of March, 1861.

A New Half Dollar.—A new half dollar has been got up at the United States Mint, to be submitted to the Government for its approval. The new coin, although of the same diameter as that now in circulation, is much thicker at the rim in consequence of the deeper sinking of the die, and hence much more durable. On one side is a medallion portrait of Washington, with the head wreathed with laurel; the word Liberty upon a scroll over the bust; at the bottom the date 1859; and around the whole the words United States of America, in plain well adapted raised letters. On the reverse side, a wreath of grain envelopes the words Half Dollar, in the same beautiful letters. The coin is very handsome.

No Speaker Yet.—Congressmen are making buncombe speeches—dissolving the Union—mending it up again—shaking their fists at one another—drinking whiskey—drawing their pay—in fine, doing everything but what they should do. Every day or two a vote is taken on the Speaker question, resulting near about the same as the first vote, some three weeks since. There is no prospect of an election for some time to come.

A Heroine.—Mrs. Mary H. Richardson, of Hampton, Texas, writes to her brother, in Waynesboro, Tennessee, as follows:—"On the 4th of September last, the Indians came in among us, and after doing some other mischief paid me a visit. My husband was from home on business, and I was alone with my five little children, two miles from any other house. I sent my two oldest (Mary and John) to drive up the cows, and did not suspect that the Indians were lurking near. They espied the children about three hundred yards from the house, and chased them towards home, where they fled for protection; and little was the protection that I, alone, a timid woman, was able to give, against eight savages, thirsting for blood and plunder. Mary (the oldest) made good her retreat; but oh! imagine my feelings, when I saw them overhaul little John and begin to stab him with a lance. I was much frightened, and expected nothing but to be massacred together with my children. I thought of my gun at that critical moment. I took it down and fired, and kept firing until assistance came to my relief. The Indians (as I suppose) thought there were men in the house prepared to receive them, and fled, and left my child alive, but severely stabbed in the back, through the arm, and in the right side. He has recovered from his wounds."

Death From a Pistol Shot.—An accident occurred in Bratton tp., Mifflin Co., on the 2d inst., from carelessness in handling firearms, which resulted in the death of a young man named Jesse Weaver. The following particulars of the affair were communicated to the *Gazette*.

At a shooting match on the farm of John Moist, in that township, on Friday afternoon, a young man named Jesse Weaver was present with a revolver. A rabbit came by and Weaver and several others commenced shooting at and chasing it, after which they returned to the company, when Joseph Kauffman reached for the pistol to look at it. Weaver said there was no load in, as he had shot them all out at the rabbit, but while showing Kauffman the merits of the weapon, one barrel discharged its contents into the breast of Weaver a little above the right nipple, causing instant death, the ball penetrating through and lodging against the skin on the back.

Conjugal Affection.—An incident came to our knowledge the other day which speaks strongly in favor of the depth and undying character of conjugal affection. A married woman in our city had the misfortune to lose her husband a few days since, and while thinking over her desolate condition, and the prospects of a dreary, lonely winter, and estimating how much of her funds would be absorbed in the funeral expenses of the dear deceased, she was interrupted by the call of a young son of Æsculapius, who, after some little chaffering, proposed to give the lady a good round sum for the useless body of the dead husband. The widow thought upon the proposal, and finally accepted the offer. A day or two afterward, being waited upon by some of her friends who came to sympathize with her in her affliction, the widow said it was not as bad as it might have been, as she had sold her husband's body, and filled her cellar with wood and coal bought with the proceeds.—*Balt. Repub.*

Extraordinary Case.—Sometime in Febuary, 1854, Dr. S. M. King was called upon to perform an operation on the person of Mrs. Adams, residing a few miles from Monongahela city.—She was afflicted with dropsy, or as medical men term it, *ascites*, and the doctor drew from her fourteen gallons of water. From that time to January, 1856, he drew from her *one hundred and fourteen and a half gallons*, and up to the 18th of October last, had taken *six hundred and twenty-eight gallons and two quarts*, or nearly twenty barrels. Mrs. Adams is about forty-five years old, is in the enjoyment of good health, and should nothing unusual occur, bids fair to live for several years yet. Her health is much better now than when the first operation was performed. This is a most unusual case, and its like has rarely if ever been witnessed by the profession. The Doctor publishes a professional account of the case in the last number of the *Medical Journal*.

French Invasion of Ireland.—Some of the Irish journals are discussing the probability of a French invasion of Ireland. They think that in the event of Louis Napoleon declaring war against England, one of his first steps will be to land a powerful force in Ireland, and take possession of the principal ports of the island.—There are few places in Ireland fit to resist a strong invading force, and a French expedition would find many sympathisers there. Even the English journals, in speculating upon a rapture with France, express apprehensions that the French Emperor would, simultaneously with an attack upon England, make a diversion upon Ireland, and avail himself of the support of the disaffected portion of the population. In view of this danger, the British government has directed its attention to the fortification of the Irish coast, and orders have been issued for the construction of batteries at the points most likely to be first assailed.

Southern Law.—The Waynesborough (Ga.) *News*, of the 7th inst., says:—Just as we are going to press we learn that a travelling agent for maps, in an adjoining county, went into a negro quarter at a late hour in the night, and was preaching abolitionism to the negroes. An old favorite servant went and waked up his master, and informed him that there was a white man out there preaching to the negroes. The gentleman went out and made the negroes hoist and hang him to a joist, dug a hole and buried him the same night.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ Science is the handmaid of religion.

☞ The *Scientific American* announces a machine for picking geese. What next?

☞ The cost of the Harper's Ferry war, so far, is said to be $200,000.

☞ Contractors will find an item of importance to them in our advertising columns.

☞ Drunkenness—a bewitching fiend, a pleasant poison, and a sweet sin.

☞ Remember—that riches like manure, do no good until they are spread.

☞ The breaking of an army's both wings is a sure way to make it fly.

☞ Tinners out to make good speakers—they do so much "spouting."

☞ Attractive—the show window of friend Smith, over the way.

☞ An agent of a New York house has been fined $20 at Norfolk for selling goods by sample without a license.

☞ A Printer's Devil, wanting to kiss his sweetheart, addressed her as follows: "Miss Lucy, may I have the pleasure of pleading my imprint on your bill?"

☞ A Mormon advertisement reads as follows: "To be let—rooms for two gentlemen and four wives, or rooms for one gentleman and six wives."

☞ A good Christmas gift—give us $1,50 and have the *Tribune* sent for a year to some friend in the west or some place else.

☞ A young man named Frank Schauniny, was drowned at Mann's Axe Factory, in Mifflin county, on Tuesday of last week, while crossing the dam, at that place, in a skiff.

☞ Dr. Cahill, the Irish orator, just arrived in this county, is said to be six feet six inches high, and stout in proportion.

☞ A steam fire engine was sold at Pittsburgh, on Friday last, for $35. It originally cost $3,000, but the *Press* says it never did three cents worth of service.

☞ The Illinois Central Railroad Company has sold of the government lands granted to them the amount of $16,023,116.

☞ A fire occurred in Bellefonte, on Friday night week, which destroyed the houses of Isaac May and Charles Brown.

☞ If you do when you are alone what you are unwilling to do in presence of your acquaintances, you respect them more than you do yourself.

☞ A villain has been arrested at Brighton, C. W., for selling beef and pork which had been killed after being bitten by a mad dog.

☞ A New York paper asserts that the costs to Mr. Forrest by the case of Forrest vs. Forrest, will form a grand total of $100,000.

☞ Give a man brains and riches, and he is a king; give him brains without riches, and he is a slave; give him riches without brains, and he is a fool.

☞ Alonza Clark, of Rushville, N. Y., was taken from his house a few nights since, tarred and feathered and returned. Cause; his having betrayed a young lady of the village.

☞ The State *Journal* says it hopes to class the Tyrone *Star* as a Republican Journal before the campaign closes. What does our little cotemporary think about it. Hope he don't intend to desert his "first love."

☞ The Legislature of Pennsylvania, in 1784, passed a resolution that no member of the Legislature will be allowed to come to the House barefooted, or eat his bread and cheese on the steps.

☞ A patent pocket umbrella is among the latest inventions that have been patented. A company with a capital of $10,000, and employing about fifty men, has been started in the East for their manufacture.

☞ Pickles, of the Standard, says he is now satisfied that we are nothing but "free-boot-ers." We are equally well satisfied that he is nothing but a bull of the "Standard Duch breed," and remarkably short-horned.

☞ Joshua R. Giddings was in Hartford last week, and while there wrote a letter, and fixed a stamp thereto, the first time, he remarked, that he had paid postage in twenty-one years. His franking privilege expired Monday noon.

☞ If there is any body under the canister of heaven that I have in utter excrescence, said the amiable Mrs. Partington, it is the slanderer going about like the boy constructor, circulating his calomel among honest people.

☞ Signs in Richmond, Va.—At the parties and balls being held there, the ladies now go in homespun, and homespun, it is said, is to be the order of this winter.—Northern dry goods stand no earthly chance at the South now.

☞ During the Revolutionary War, Washington visited and sat at the meeting of a lodge in which an Orderly Sergeant was the Master. This fact led Benjamin Russell, afterwards a Grand Master in Massachusetts, to unite himself with the Masonic Order.

☞ The Standard asks us "how it is possible for a pavement to test any one's agility." We answer, by attempting to make a man lie or sit down when he don't want to, like those "horns" compel the bull of the "Standard Dutch breed," to do occasionally.

☞ The Altoona gas it is said, burns *blue*. Our devil declares he had no hand in it. How is it with your imp, brothers of the *Tribune*?—*Tyrone Star*.

Our Jeemes thinks circumstances look rather suspicious, as the *blue blazes* all left about the time your devil took the train for Tyrone.

☞ An editor up North, it is said, has six fat gobblers in his coop, donations of his patrons. He is certainly a more lucky dog than his brethren in these parts. Our coop is tenantless as yet, and a number of our neighboring cotemporaries say that their coops are in the same situation. Are we to have a turkey?

☞ M. Camille Vert, a Parisian, has invented a flying machine in the shape of a fish, which, while in the air, he can guide in any direction. The Emperor was present at the trial trip, which took place under the high ceiling of the Industrial Palace, and has authorized a public exhibition of the machine.

☞ A Mississippi paper, in eulogizing the disunionists, says:

"The everlasting destiny of the South hangs upon such men as Jefferson Davis and others."

If this be true, how appropriately may we exclaim, in the language of Dr. Watts:

"Great God! on what a slender thread
Hang everlasting things."

☞ A letter from Panama states that on the 1st of November Jose Maria Malo Blanco, Governor of Bogota, was assassinated in the street by his brother Jesu, during a dispute concerning the division of the property of the family. Jesu at first challenged the Governor to fight him with revolvers, when the latter refusing, he fired upon him three times.

☞ On Monday week, a mad dog got loose in the 19th ward, of Milwaukie, and soon became an object of general terror in the part of the ward where he was. And with reason, too, for before he was despatched, he bit ten persons fifteen other dogs, one cow and a pig. It is feared that the most serious consequences will follow from his furious foray. He was finally killed.

☞ There was a bloody row in Buffalo, Iowa, one day last week. Sixty young men came to a ball, but as there were no ladies there were no quadrilles. The young men consoled themselves by getting drunk and beating a barkeeper. He fired a double-barrelled gun into the midst of the party, wounding six, one of them very seriously, and it is feared fatally, then made his property over to his wife and left the State.

☞ That estray bull, of the Standard Dutch breed, said to have came to the Tribune office on the evening of the 13th inst., happened to be a muley, consequently we could not "take him by the horns," but the "tail hold" being good, we gave it a slight wrench, which so "riled" the animal that he bellowed around the streets on the day of the celebration, and Madam Rumor says that he had several "horns" ere he left for the Standard office, in the evening. This will account for the "bully-ing" propensities of the animal, this week.

☞ A member of the Mississippi Legislature at one of its late sessions, introduced a bill to change the name of a certain county in that State to Cass county. One of the opposition moved as an amendment, that the letter C be stricken out of the proposed name. This motion created some laughter at the expense of the member offering. Nothing daunted, however, he arose in reply and said, "Mr. Speaker, this is the first instance that has come to my knowledge in which a member has had the assurance, upon the floor of any legislature, to propose to name a county *after himself*."

Parson Brownlow and his Coffin.—Among the assables present at the late mass meeting at Lynchburg, Va., called to express the opinion of the people of that section in relation to the Harper's Ferry raid, was the well-know Parson Brownlow. His remarks on the occasion were characteristic. A reporter, in noticing the speech, says it was "intensely Southern," and represents the parson as saying "he would rather be with the South in Pandemonium than with the Abolitionists in Heaven." The parson also remarked that he intended to give his family instructions not to bury him in a Yankee coffin; but if, in case of an emergency, they should be forced to do so, that they must leave both ends open, so that when the devil or abolitionists come in at one end he could crawl out at the other.

Killed his Father.—The Nashville (Tenn.) *Gazette* learns of a terrible occurrence in Chatham county. A Mr. Langster and his wife had been absent from home for a short time on a visit, and left the house, during their absence, in charge of their son, aged about 11 years. Returning to the house at a late hour of the night, they resolved to test the boy's courage, and Mr. Langster stealthily approached the house, and asked for admission. The boy asked who was there, but received no answer. Repeating the question and receiving no answer, he procured a double-barrelled shot-gun, and stepping outside of the house fired. The gun was loaded with buckshot, most of which took effect in Mr. Langster's body, producing, it is supposed, a fatal wound. The agony of the boy, on discovering whom he had shot, was intense.

A Heavy Load.—A dishonest servant girl, suspected by the proprietor of a New York hotel, was "overhauled" as she was about to depart, and concealed among her hoops and clothing, were found a half dozen cut glass tumblers, three or four glasses of currant jelly, several collars, and other articles of wearing apparel; four fine handkerchiefs, two of which she used as garters, and with the other two she secured her skirts, which were rather heavy from the weight of the glassware; and also two fine sheets wrapped around her person, and $15 sewed in the lining of her dress—all of which had been stolen from various persons in the house. It took a long while to unpack her.

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Altoona, Aug. 11th, 1859–tf.

NOTICE.—LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION having been granted by the Orphans' Court of Blair Co. to the undersigned, on the estate of Dr. G. D. Thomas, deceased, late of Altoona, Pa., all persons having claims against such estate, are hereby notified to present their accounts duly authenticated and ready for settlement, to the undersigned at her residence, in Altoona, or to Mr. James Hutchison, of Logan township, one of the former executors of said estate, on or before the 11th day of December ensuing. And all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, are notified to come forward promptly and make payment, as no longer indulgence can be given. NANCY JANE THOMAS, Administratrix.

Altoona, Nov. 23d, 1859–6t.

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JOHN O'DONNELL.

Altoona, Nov. 17th, 1859.

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Altoona Tribune.

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MAILS CLOSE.	
Eastern Way at	7.30 A. M.
Western "	8.00 A. M.
Hollidaysburg,	2.00 "
Western Through and Hollidaysburg,	7.00 P. M.
Eastern Through Mail	3.10 "
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June 4, '57-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train	East arrives	9.23 P. M.,	leaves	9.40 P. M.
"	West "	8.20 A. M.	"	8.40 A. M.
Fast "	East "	7.40 A. M.	"	8.00 A. M.
"	West "	8.45 P. M.,	"	9.05 P. M.
Mail "	East "	11.15 A. M.	"	11.35 A. M.
"	West "	7.25 P. M.,	"	7.45 P. M.

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November 29, 1858. THOS. A. SCOTT, *Sup't.*

LOCAL ITEMS.

NO PAPER NEXT WEEK.—According to the usual custom among newspaper publishers, no paper will be issued from this office next week. Our boys as well as ourselves have been severely tasked with work during the last few months, and we feel that all hands need recreation.

THE CELEBRATION.—Thursday last was a proud day for the people of Altoona, and particularly so to those who took an active part in getting up the demonstration. Those who opposed the affair must have felt somewhat chagrined when they observed the little effect their opposition had upon the people. With but few exceptions, the people of Altoona considered it right and proper that the introduction of such modern improvements as gas and water, into a town only ten years old, should be properly celebrated, consequently they determined it should be done, and it was done right handsomely, much to the credit of the town and inhabitants.

The announcement, on Wednesday afternoon, that three of the brass bands engaged for the occasion, viz: Millerstown, Newport and Bloomfield, would arrive on the evening trains, stirred up the people, and on the arrival of the Mail Train the depot was crowded with old and young. The Millerstown and Bloomfield bands arrived by this train and were taken charge of by the committee appointed for the purpose and escorted to quarters provided for them, the former at White Hall Hotel, and the latter at J. Derno's "Mansion House," each discoursing music.—The Newport band arrived on the Fast Line, and was greeted by a large crowd. Forming in line, they struck up an air and proceeded to the quarters assigned them at Col. Wood's Altoona House. During the evening the Bloomfield and Newport bands complimented the General Superintendent and Mr. Burkholder with a serenade. Quite a number of strangers arrived on the evening trains, the presence of whom, and the music of the bands, raised the hopes and expectations of our citizens, and had the effect to cut up those who had been somewhat indifferent about the matter.

Thursday morning dawned upon us, bright, beautiful, and bracing. Notwithstanding the biting prepensities of Jack Frost, the streets were alive with people long before the hour for the arrival of the Express Train, which was to bring in the Scott Band of Mifflin and Patterson. The train arrived on schedule time, bringing with it the expected band and several car loads of visitors. The band was escorted to quarters at Bowman's Exchange Hotel. An extra train of four cars was run from Huntingdon to this place, following the Express Train, and arriving about an hour later. This train brought the Huntingdon Band and as many visitors as could well be packed into it. The band was quartered at the "Logan House." The Fast Line from the West and the Hollidaysburg train, arriving in the morning, also brought quite a crowd of visitors. Later in the day the people from the country around began to pour into town, and the number was increased by the arrival of the Hollidaysburg Train, which brought in five full car loads, together with Van Tries' Cornet Band, which was escorted to quarters at Geo. B. Cramer's.

Agreeably to the "Orders of the Day," the brass bands met in front of the "Logan House" at 1 o'clock, and proceeded from thence, under the directions of the Marshal's Aids, to escort the various companies, Lodges, &c., into rank. At 2 o'clock the procession was completely formed in the following order:—

Chief Marshal and Aids,
Altoona Brass Band.
Soldiers of the War of 1812.
Soldiers of the Mexican War.
Martial Band.
Altoona Guards.
Logan Rifle Rangers.
Van Tries Cornet Band.
Good Will Engine and Hose Company.
Huntingdon Brass Band.
Mountain Lodge, No. 281, A. Y. M.
Scott Brass Band.
Altoona Lodge, No. 473, I. O. of O. F.
Newport Brass Band.
Winnebago Tribe, No. 35, I. O. R. M.
Millerstown Brass Band.
Washington Camps, No. 11, 31, 45, 54, 59, 60, J. S. A.
Bloomfield Brass Band.
Boiler-makers from Altoona Shops.

The procession then proceeded over the route laid down in the programme previously published, and halted in front of the Logan House, where an address, appropriate to the occasion, was delivered by Col. L. W. Hall; but the crowd was so great that we could not get close enough to the stand to hear more than a few words of it. At the close of the address the procession was dismissed. We had not an opportunity to take the number of those in the procession, but hear it estimated at from 500 to 700.

The following are the names and ages of the Soldiers of 1812, nine in number, who appeared in the procession:—Daniel Cramer, aged sixty-nine; John Furry, sixty-eight; Christian Wigton, eighty-three; George McDonough, of Hollidaysburg, sixty-four; Mr. Berry, sixty-five; Wm Garden, sixty-seven; Jacob Sites, sixty-eight; Adolphus Hall, sixty-four; and John Harpst. Daniel Cramer acted as marshal for the veterans.

Every man who has a spark of patriotism in his breast, who looked upon these old heroes, must have felt his heart warm toward them.—Their stooping forms and tottering steps betokened their close proximity to their last battle with their last enemy, who, though victorious in this world, they have the power to conquer in the world to come—and may we not hope that there, as here, they may triumph, and receive the reward of good and valiant soldiers?

After the Soldiers of 1812, came 16 men who had served in the Mexican War. General Humphrey, who commanded Company B, Second Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, in Mexico, acted as Marshal. The flag in the possession of the Jackson Independent Blues, while in Mexico, was carried by Mr. John Condo, of this place. Another flag, much torn, and riddled with bullet-holes which was in possession of Company B, Second Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers in Mexico, was borne by Maj. R. J. Crozier, a Mexican soldier.

Next in order came the Good Will Engine and Hose Company. The Engine and reel was handsomely decorated with wreaths, banners and flags. Two grey horses were attached to the engine to draw it, when the procession first formed, but being unaccustomed to so much music and excitement, they became balky and were detached from it. There were some sixty members of the company in procession, in citizens' dress, wearing glazed caps and a belt with a plate in front on which the name of the company is engraved.

The Masons, Odd Fellows, Red Men and Junior Sons of America followed in regular order and made a most imposing appearance. The Junior Sons carried an almost innumerable number of banners, wreaths and flags, some of which were very handsome.

Bringing up the rear came the boiler-makers from the Altoona shops. On a wagon drawn by two horses they had a boiler and furnace, with two boys heating, two men driving, and one holding on rivets. Behind the wagon came some 15 or 20 men from the shop, on foot. They attracted a great deal of attention.

The failure of several military companies to comply with their previous promises, rendered the display in this particular less imposing than we had anticipated, but we think the people of Altoona have the more reason to be proud of it, because it was almost entirely local. No other town in the State, we say with pride, and without fear of contradiction, can get up such a display within itself. That our boast was not an idle one, when we said our people did nothing by halves, and our town was no "one horse" concern, was fully proven to all who attended the celebration.

The ceremony of turning on the gas and water was performed by Mountain Lodge of Masons, who left the procession as it was being drawn up in front of the "Logan House."—Speeches were made by W. M., Geo. B. Cramer, and others.

But the grandest display of the occasion is yet to be noticed, if that of the day and evening will bear comparison. Between six and seven o'clock, our streets resounded with the music of the brass bands which were out serenading in different localities. One after another the lights appeared in the windows of houses in all parts of the town, and by seven o'clock our streets presented a beautiful appearance, being almost as light as day. We fear to risk a notice of particular houses or places of business, lest we should not do justice to all, as it appeared to us that each vied with the other in rendering the display attractive. The shops of the Company were illuminated by over two thousand lights, placed in various shapes in the windows and cupolas. The belfry of the shops was lighted up with signal lanterns—red, white and blue—hung in rows around the open space, and large locomotive head-lights were placed in the dials immediately underneath the belfry, the whole forming a most magnificent sight. To G. W. Sparks, Esq., foreman of the tinsmithing department, belongs the credit of this arrangement.

The residence of Thos. A. Scott, Gen. Sup't P. R. R., and the offices connected therewith, were brilliantly illuminated with gas and candles. Gas burners were placed in front of each window and covered with different colored globes and the word "WELCOME," in blue gas letters, describing a semi-circle, was placed in front of the building, the whole forming a varied and gorgeous display, worthy of the man, the place and the occasion, and was universally admired.

The residence of W. H. Wilson, Resident Engineer, P. R. R., presented a beautiful appearance. The two upper stories, in front, were illuminated with candles, and quite a number of different colored lights were hung around the porticoes below. The back part of the house, which could be plainly seen from the street, was brilliantly lit up within, and each light of glass in the window covered with different colored paper. It attracted a full share of attention.

The new three story building erected by C. Jaggard, for a store room and halls, was illuminated in every window, making the street in front almost as light as day. The Masonic Temple, (three-story) was lighted up in the same manner. In front of Geo. A. Ogelsby's gas fitting and plumbing shop, was a beautiful blue gas star, the workmanship of which reflected credit on the establishment. In front of the residence of B. F. Rose, Esq., appeared the word "GAS" in blue gas letters, which came in for a full share of admiration. The drug store of G. W. Kessler was illuminated with Carbon oil-lamps, which reflected much light upon the street and credit upon the owner. The Altoona House, Bowman's Exchange, White Hall Hotel, Mansion House, and in fact all the Hotels and places of business about the town, were so handsomely illuminated, that it would be invidious in us to particularly refer to any of them unless we noticed all, and to do so would occupy more space than we can spare. The appearance of the town at 8 o'clock, as seen from the hills on either side, was grand beyond description.—During all this time the brass bands were playing through the streets and serenading in different parts of the town, and it mattered not in which direction you travelled you would be greeted by strains with music.

Between 7 and 8 o'clock a monster paper balloon, 20 feet long and 10 feet in diameter, named "Logan," manufactured by some of the young men about the Logan House, was sent up from the space in front of the house. It ascended perpendicularly until almost lost to sight, when it moved off in northeastern direction. It was a beautiful sight indeed, and the effect was all the better from the fact that it was a treat not announced in the programme of the day.—About the same time a beautiful display of fire works took place from the verandah of the Logan House, attracting an immense crowd to witness them. Displays were also made from different other places in the town.

A crowd of boys, to the number of some 40 or 50, collected all the store boxes, barrels, and whatever combustible material they could lay their hands on, and taking it to the top of the hill above West Altoona, lighted a tremendous bonfire, and did any amount of yelling.

While all these sights were to be seen, another scene was being enacted, which was a fit climax to the sights and scenes of the day and evening—we refer the torch light procession.—At about half past seven o'clock the Marshal and his aid succeeded in getting together all those who intended taking part in this performance, and although the number in rank was small, they fully made up for the deficiency in comicalities. Prominent in the procession were four or five carts and wagons with bonfires built upon them, followed by men carrying picks, shovels, &c., representing the appearance of Altoona some ten years ago, when the railroad was building, and some of the men were employees of the Company at that time. On a banner, borne by one of the men in the procession, was a representation of the first house in Altoona, or rather the old farm house which was occupied by the person who owned the land on which the town is built. (The house is still standing, but presents a rather dilapidated appearance.) The ends of the banner bore the following inscriptions "Population of Altoona in 1859—4,500".—"Perseverence and Industry Worketh Wonders." There were other banners and transparencies, but we did not learn the inscriptions thereon. The procession was loudly cheered as it passed the crowds collected at the different street corners. It was accompanied by the Millerstown and Altoona Brass Bands.

About half-past seven o'clock in the evening, the cry of fire was raised and the fire alarm struck upon shop bell, whereupon the Fire Co. had their engine and reel out in a few minutes and took them up Virginia street at 2,40 speed. Luckily, it proved to be a false alarm, and the Good Will boys were deprived an opportunity of testing the merits of their machine, and returned with it at a slower pace than they started out.

No accidents of any consequence resulted from the illumination, and the articles most in demand the next morning were warm water and soap.

The Hollidaysburg, Newport, and part of the Huntingdon Band, together with the greater part of the strangers in town, left on the evening trains, and by 10 o'clock our streets were almost deserted. It was generally remarked that there were fewer intoxicated persons to be seen on the day of the celebration, than would have been found in a gathering of equal numbers in any of the surrounding towns; and we are glad to have it to say that we did not see or hear of a breach of the peace occurring in any part of the town. Everything passed off in the most harmonious manner. All who came to see and hear were perfectly satisfied, and were loud in praise of the display of the day and evening.

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LECTURE BY BISHOP SIMPSON.—We are pleased to be able to announce that Bishop Simpson, of the M. E. Church, will deliver a lecture on Palestine, or the Holy Land, in the Methodist Church, in this place, on Tuesday evening next, December 27th. Having lately spent several months traveling through that country he will be able to speak of it and the people as he seen them. As a minister of the gospel he is acknowledged to be second to none in the country; possessing great descriptive powers, and a master mind well stored with knowledge which will render his lecture instructive and entertaining. To those who have ever heard him preach, he needs no recommendation at our hands, as they will consider it almost a duty to attend his lecture. No one who attends his lecture on Tuesday evening next can possibly regret it. Tickets 25 cents. To be had of Rev. S. Creighton, Walter C. Roe, at the Logan House, D. T. Caldwell, at the Bank, Thos. Elway, G. W. Kessler, J. & J. Lowther, and at the *Tribune* office.

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IN TOWN.—Mr. Jonathan Focht, Colporteur of the American Tract Society, is now in town with as handsome and cheap a lot of books as were ever offered to the people of this place.—His Gift Books for the Holidays are very appropriate, and all who desire to make a really valuable present of this kind should at once call at Jacob Snyder's Tailor Shop, corner of Main and Annie streets, and get a book. He has beautifully illustrated Bible Dictionaries which are worth ten times the price he asks for them, to those who read their Bibles. We would advise parents to make their selections of presents for their children from Mr. F.'s stock. He will remain for several weeks, and intends visiting all the families in the place.

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EDITORIAL VISITORS.—On Thursday last, quite a number of the editorial fraternity were in town to see the sights and take notes of the celebration. Among those whom we met were Nash, of the Huntingdon *Journal and American*, Speer, of the Huntingdon *Union*, Hartzel, of the Pittsburgh *Dispatch*, Foster and Atkinson, of the *Commercial Journal*, Pittsburgh, and W. S. Campbell, formerly of the Juniata *Sentinel*. Judge Jones, of the *Register*, Traugh, of the *Standard*, Raymond, of the *Whig*, McPike, of the Johnstown *Echo*, and Keenan, of the Gresnaburg *Democrat*, were also in town.—Quite an array of "talented buggars."

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DIED.—In this place, on the 15th inst., of consumption, Dr. W. R. Griffin, aged 29 years. His remains were conveyed to the Lutheran Church on Sunday morning last, where an excellent funeral sermon was preached by the Rev. J. Stock after which they were followed to their last resting place, in the Collinsville grave yard, by a large concourse of friends, and the Literati of Columbia and Junior Sons of America (of which orders he was a member,) in full regalia.

OLD ENGLISH CHRISTMAS PLUM PUDDING.—To make what is termed a pound pudding, take of raisins well stoned, and currants thoroughly washed, one pound each, chop a pound of suet very finely, and mix with them; add a quarter of a pound of flour, or bread very finely crumbled, three ounces sugar, one ounce and a half of grated lemon peel, a blade of mace, half a small nutmeg, one teaspoonful of ginger, half a dozen eggs well beaten; work it well together, put it into a cloth, tie it firmly, allowing room to swell, and boil not less than two hours. It should not be suffered to stop boiling.

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GO TO JACOB'S.—Jake Wise requests us to state that he has just received a large supply of confectionaries, nuts, fruit, toys, &c., for the holidays, and that he will also have on hand a variety of cakes, done up in his superior style, which he intends to dispose of at prices to suit the times. We know that Jake can get up as fine a cake as any other baker in the place, and therefore recommend him to those who wish anything in his line. Call and see him.

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DEAD.—We learn from the last number of the Tyrone *Star* that John Culvert, better known as the "Fostoria Foundling," died at the residence of its foster-parents, at Fostoria, on the 9th inst., of scarlet fever. Though "the child of sorrow and of crime" it was well cared for by those into whose charge it fell, and its death will be lamented by many who took a deep interest in its welfare.

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GOOD WILL BALL.—The ball of the Good Will Engine and Hose Company comes off at Shultz's Hall this evening. From the arrangements made we presume it will be a grand affair. We acknowledge the receipt of complimentary tickets, for which the managers will please accept our thanks. We hope those who participate in the festivities of the occasion may enjoy all they anticipate.

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BOOKS FOR PRESENTS—to be had at the New Book Store of H. Smith. Highly illustrated, amusing and instructive books, in every possible style of binding, and at all prices. We have seen samples of his stock, and believe that they cannot be surpassed by those of any establishment of the kind in the county.

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HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS.—Excursion tickets will be sold December 24th, 25th and 26th; also, December 31st, 1859, and January 1st and 2d, 1860, to and from all regular Stations between Pittsburgh and Philadelphia, on the Pennsylvania Rail Road, good for return trip until January 2d, 1860.

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CARRIER'S ADDRESS.—Our carriers have requested us to announce to the patrons of the *Tribune* that they will be around with an Address on Saturday previous to New Year's, and hope to receive a hearty welcome from all.

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A CARD.—The members of the Altoona Brass Band desire to return their sincere thanks to Benj. F. Rose, Esq., for his kind invitation to partake of a sumptuous repast served up on the occasion of the introduction of gas and water into this place. We assure him that he shall ever be held in grateful remembrance, and our best wishes are his for future honor, prosperity and happiness.

We would also return thanks to the Marshals of the day, on the occasion of the gas and water celebration, for the attention and courteous treatment we received at their hands.

JOHN P. LEVAN, *Sec'y.*

Altoona, Dec. 20, 1859.

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LUTHERAN COLONY.—A meeting for the permanent organization of the proposed Lutheran Colony, to locate in Missouri, will be held in Altoona, Pa., on Thursday, the 29th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M. All persons who feel interested in the success of the enterprise, are respectfully urged to attend, as business of importance to the members of the Colony will be transacted. For further information address Geo. W. Patton, or Dr. D. R. Good, Altoona, Pa.

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PUBLIC SALE.—The American Hotel and Washington Hotel properties in this place, are to be sold at Public Sale, on the premises, on Thursday, December 22d. The first named is a large three story brick building, well adapted for the purpose. The second is a good frame building with a basement. Also, a large two-story frame dwelling house situate in Loudonsville. For particulars inquire of

JOHN SHOEMAKER.

Altoona, Dec. 1, 1859-3t.

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NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders that the 8th instalment on the Capital Stock of the Altoona Gas and Water Company, will be due and made payable at the Banking House of Wm. M. Lloyd & Co., on Monday, January 16th, 1860.

BENJ. F. ROSE, *Sec'y.*

December, 20th, 1859.

MARRIED.

On the 12th instant, by the Rev. Alex. Bonnerman, Col. JOHN HILL, late of this place, to Miss ELIZABETH C. DAVIS, daughter of the late Benjamin Davis of Baltimore county, Md.

DIED.

On the 12th ult., of scarlet fever, LEVINA, daughter of James and Elizabeth M'Farland, of Tyrone, aged 7 years, 2 months and 2 weeks.

On the 26th ult., of scarlet fever, DAVID ANDREW MILES, (son of Mrs. Mary A. Miles, of Tyrone,) aged 12 years, 8 months 2 weeks and 3 days.

Of consumption, on the 13th inst., near Davidsburg, this county, Mrs. POLLY M'CLAUSKEY, aged about 47 years.

On the same day, of scarlet fever, JAMES, youngest son of A. B. and Nancy Hook, of Davidsburg; aged 6 years.

On the same day, of scarlet fever, youngest daughter of Levi and Mrs. Stahl, of Fostoria, this county.

A FINE STOCK OF FRESH FAMILY groceries for the holidays at the "Model."
Dec. 22, '59-1t. J. & J. LOWTHER.

THE HOLIDAYS ARE APPROACHING, and the proprietors of the "Model" store, corner of Annie and Virginia streets, are on hands with a fresh supply of goods suited to the season.
Dec. 22, '59-1t. J. & J. LOWTHER.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS, AND THE Gentleman will be sure to enjoy it who presents his better-half with one of those splendid dress patterns, Shawls or Cloaks, which can be had at the "Model."
Dec. 22, '59-1t. J. & J. LOWTHER.

CARPETS.—A FRESH STOCK just received at the "Model," which makes our assortment as good if not better than any other in the town.
Dec. 22, '59-1t. J. & J. LOWTHER.

HOLIDAY GIFTS

"Christmas comes but once a year,
And when it comes it brings good cheer."

THE SHOCK OF AN EARTHquake was felt throughout the country upon the arrival of more than

ONE THOUSAND ACRES
of new and splendid Books for the Holidays, interspersed
WITH HUNDREDS OF CORDS
of School Books at reduced prices, and
THOUSANDS OF BUSHELS
of Stationery and small articles, comprising every variety and kind imaginable.

THUNDER SQUALLS
of Music and Musical Instruments!
SHOWERS
of Musical Toys and
SMALL SPRINKLING
of Fancy Articles, for sale at cost! Superior French, German and Italian Violins and Bows which must be kept separate or they will go to playing. None of your cornstalk fiddles! Spanish Guitars just arrived from Spain and the Spanish Provinces, Flutes, Fifes, Accordeons, Banjos, Tamborines, etc. &c., Also the agency for the Best manufactured Pianos and Melodeons.
Come and see! No charges for examination. Politeness and decorum the order of my room.
Remember the place, Virginia Street, opposite the Tribune office. HERMAN SMITH.
Altoona, Dec. 20, '59.

OUR MUSICAL FRIEND, A RARE Companion for the Winter Months...

Every Pianist,	Should procure this weekly
Every Singer,	Publication of Vocal and
Every Teacher,	Piano Forte Music, costing but TEN cents a
Every Pupil,	number, and pronounced
Every Amateur,	

By the entire press of the country, to be "The best and cheapest work of the kind in the World."
Twelve full-sized pages of Vocal and Piano Forte Music for 10 cents. Yearly, $5; Half-yearly, 2,50; Quarterly, $1,25.
Subscribe to "Our Musical Friend," or order it from the nearest Newsdealer, and you will have Music enough for your entire family at an insignificant cost; and if you want music for the Flute, Violin, Cornet, Clarionet, Accordeon, &c., &c., subscribe to the SOLO MELODIST, containing 12 pages, costing only TEN CENTS A NUMBER; YEARLY, $2,50; HALF-YEARLY, $1,25. All the back numbers at 10 cts., and bound volumes, containing 17 numbers, at $2.50 each, constantly on hand. C. B. SEYMOUR & CO.,
Dec. 22, 1859-3m. 107 Nassau St., N. Y.

CAUTION.—EXTRACT FROM ORDINANCE No. 13, entitled "An Ordinance for the better regulation of the peace and order of the Borough of Altoona":—
"SEC. 5. That any person who shall wilfully deface or tear down handbills, notices, ordinances or posters, in public places, within ten days from the time of putting them up, or shall break, mutilate or injure any fruit or ornamental tree or shrub upon the side-walks or any other place in the Borough, the person so offending shall, upon being convicted thereof, pay a fine not exceeding ten dollars, and in default of payment thereof, shall be confined in the "Lock Up" house not exceeding forty eight hours."
Notice is hereby given that the above ordinance will be strictly enforced in reference to the bills posted up by the Altoona Gas and Water Company.
Dec. 22, '59-3t. H. P. ROSE, *Sec'y.*

THE CITIZENS OF ALTOONA AND vicinity who visit Hollidaysburg should not fail to call at the "MODEL" Book and Variety Store of J. C. WEST in Allegheny street, nearly opposite the American House.—Mr. WEST has just received a large and endless variety of the most handsome Books, Toys, &c., ever brought to this part of the country. His stock consists principally in *Fancy Gift Books*; American, French and Italian Toys; Ornamental Baskets of every shape and pattern; Mantle Ornaments; Stereoscopes, with an endless variety of views, colored and plain; a splendid assortment of Jewelry, so that all who desire to make Holiday presents cannot fail to be pleased. He has something new in the way of ornaments for a Christmas Tree, which are unsurpassed. His window alone is an ornament to the town and a curiosity worth seeing. Every thing is sold as cheap as they can be purchased in the Eastern cities. All are invited to call and examine.
Dec. 22, 1859-2t.

FOR COUGHS, COLDS, PAINS IN the Breast, Hoarseness, etc., there is nothing superior to the INDIAN VEGETABLE COUGH BALSAM. It is a medicine highly valued for its pleasant taste, safe and rapid and sure cure of all bad Colds, Coughs, Pains, Chilly and Feverish Sensations in the system. The united testimony of all who have used this invaluable Balsam, pronounce it of superior merit, and one of the safest and best medicines in the country. This Balsam can be had at the store of ——— in Altoona; Col. F. Bell, Bell's Mills: and at J. Snyder's Drug Store in Hollidaysburg.
Dec. 22, 1859-3t.pd.

NOTICE.—NOTICE IS HEREBY given to all persons interested, that an application was made at the last term of the Court in Blair county, for a charter of incorporation for the 1st Baptist Church in Altoona, and that the Court directed a notice of such application to be given, and decreed that if no sufficient reason be shown to the contrary at the January term of said Court the charter of incorporation will be granted.
Dec. 22, 1859-3t. A. REES.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A CHURCH will be received by the undersigned until the 31st of December next. Plans and Specifications may be seen at my office. JOHN A. WRIGHT,
Chairman Building Committee.
FREEDOM FORGE, near Lewistown.
Dec. 22, 1859-2t.

LYON'S
Pure Ohio Catawba Brandy.
THE UNIVERSAL PREFERENCE which is given to this brand shows that it is the only PURE BRANDY for
MEDICINAL PURPOSES
known, which is fully corroborated by all practicing physicians who have used it in their practice.
For Summer Complaints with Children,
A Cure is guaranticd or the money will be refunded,
as it will effectually relieve that affliction, as well as
Diarrhœa & Bowel Complaint.
AS A BEVERAGE,
The pure article is altogether superior, and a sovereign and SURE REMEDY for
Dispepsia, Flatulency, Cramp, Colic, Languor, Low Spirits, General Debility, Nervousness, Liver Complaint, etc.
Physicians, who have used it in their practice, speak of it in the most flattering terms, as will be seen by reference to the numerous letters and certificates.
A. HART & CO., Proprietors, Cincinnati.
A. ROUSH,
Sole Wholesale and Retail Agent for Blair county.
Nov. 10, 1859.

PRIVATE SALE.—THE HOUSE & LOT of Thomas McCulla, in Altoona, (formerly Greensburg,) is offered at private sale. Lot 19½ feet front by 150 deep. For further information inquire of the occupant, BERNARD McNEALIS.
Dec. 1, 1859.

C. W. KIMBALL, & CO.,
DEALRS IN GROCERIES AND Produce, Rebecca St., Allegheny City, Pa.
Nov. 21, '59-2t.

ALL WANTING FARMS IN A DELIGHTFUL CLIMATE, rich soil, and secure from frosts. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands in another column.

BLANKS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS neatly and expediciously executed at this office.

TO all wanting Farms. See advertisement of Harmonton Lands.

Iron City College
$40.00
Pays for a full course in the Iron City College, the largest most extensively patronized and best organized Commercial School in the United States.
Four Large Halls,
For Writing, Commercial Calculations, Book-Keeping and Lectures.
Usual time to complete a full course, from 6 to 10 weeks. Every Student, upon graduating, is guaranteed to be competent to manage the Books of any Business and qualified to earn a salary of from
$500 to $1,000.
Students enter at any time—No Vacation—Review at pleasure.
First Premium for Best Writing
Awarded this Institution. The best and greatest variety of Penmanship in any one Hall of the Union, is found here.
☞ Ministers Sons received at half price.
For full information, Circular, Specimens of Business and Ornamental Writing and Embellished View of the College, enclose five letter stamps to F. W. JENKINS.
Sept. 22, 1859—1y Pittsburgh, Pa.

JUST OPENED
A STOCK OF
Entirely New Goods.
R. A. O. KERR
WOULD INFORM THE GOOD people of Altoona, the surrounding country, and the "rest of mankind," that he has just returned from the city with a large stock of NEW GOODS, which he offers at reasonable prices, at the stand formerly occupied by R. Kerr, and recently by W. O'Neal, on Main street. His stock is the only one in town which is
ENTIRELY NEW,
and he flatters himself that he has something to please the eye of every lady, and suit the wants of every gentleman. He deems it unnecessary to enumerate all the articles on the shelves, (as to do so would require a whole newspaper,) but would say that he has everything in the line of
LADIES' DRESS GOODS
which this meridian calls for, and all just suited to the season, together with a well selected assortment of House Furnishing Goods, such as Carpets, Window Blinds, Shades, &c., which will commend themselves.
FOR GENTLEMEN,
he has a great variety—from which they can not fail to make a satisfactory selection. He has also a tip top assortment of GROCERIES, as good, fresh and cheap as can be had this side of the place of growing of manufacture. Also, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, and everything necessary to complete a store in a thriving town like Altoona.
All he asks is that the people will call and examine his stock, which he will at all times take pleasure in showing, and he feels confident that he can send them away rejoicing, if not in the purchase of just such an article as they wanted, at the remembrance of having looked upon the handsomest stock of Goods ever exhibited in the town.
Altoona, Oct. 20, 1859.

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR HEAD! A poet gives the following advice to young men on going to parties:

In going to parties, just mind what you're at!
Beware of your head and take care of your HAT;
Least you find that a favorite son of your mother
Has an ache in the one and a brick in the other.

Speaking about hats and heads—the subscriber would respectfully announce that he has just returned from the city with a large and well selected stock of Men and Boys

HATS AND CAPS, OF ALL STYLES,
FOR FALL AND WINTER,
of every color and shape. Also, a good assortment of
LADIES AND MISSES FURS,
of different varieties, all of which will be sold
CHEAP FOR CASH.
Persons in want of anything in the above line, will please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell at the very lowest possible prices.
Store on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran church.
Altoona, April 23, 1859-tf. JESSE SMITH.

A BOOK FOR EVERYBODY.—STARTLING DISCLOSURES.—Dr. TELLER'S great work for the married, or for those contemplating marriage—200 pages, full of PLATES. Price 25 cents sent to all parts in sealed letter, by mail, POST PAID; 500,000 copies sold the last year. The single, married, and the married happy. A Lecture on *Love*, or how to choose a partner; a complete work on Midwifery. It contains hundreds of secrets never before published—warranted to be worth three times the amount asked for it, 25 cents in specie or postage stamps enclosed, will secure a copy by return mail.
DR. TELLER has devoted a lifetime to the cure of disease on which his books treat. Address J. TELLER, M. D. No. 5 Beaver street, Albany, N. Y.
Dr. Vichole' Female Pills, $1 a box, with full directions. Married ladies should not use them. Sent by mail. Address Dr. Teller, as above. April 14th, '59-1y.

Stoves, Tin & Sheet Iron Ware,
SPOUTING, &C.
JAS. W. RIGG WOULD RESpectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves*, of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.
He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet Iron Ware*, consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Scuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.*
He has also purchased the right of sale in Blair county of R. V. JONES'
IMPROVED SAUSAGE STUFFER,
an invention which needs only to be seen to be appreciated and should be possessed by every farmer, butcher or those requiring such a machine.
☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [April 14, 1859-1y.

FARM LANDS FOR SALE 25 MILES from Philadelphia by Railroad in the State of New Jersey. Soil among the best for Agricultural purposes, being good loam soil, with a clay bottom. The land is a large tract, divided into small farms, and hundreds from all parts of the country are now settling and building.—The crops produced are large and can be seen growing.—The climate is delightful and secure from frosts. Terms from $15 to $20 per acre, payable within four years by instalments. To visit the place—Leave Vine Street Wharf at Philadelphia at 7½ A. M. by Railroad for Hammonton; or address R. J. Byrnes, by letter, Hammonton Post Office, Atlantic County, New Jersey. See full advertisement in another column.

NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS KNOWING themselves indebted to the firm of Runyan & Sanford, will please call and settle their accounts without delay, as ample time has been given. In thirty days hereafter, all accounts unsettled will be placed in the hands of a proper person for collection.
Altoona, July 28, 1859-3t RUNYAN & SANFORD.
The undersigned feels grateful for the patronage heretofore bestowed on the firm and himself by the citizens of Altoona, and expects still to serve the public with all kinds of meat as usual. All persons failing to settle their accounts every thirty days, must not expect longer indulgence: My capital is limited, and long credits will soon place me where others are that have indulged so much credit to their ruin. MARTIN RUNYAN.

NEW WALL PAPER,
FOR AUTUMN 1859.
Gold Embroidered papers for Parlors, now style.
Beautiful papers for Halls, Chambers and panels.
Cheap Wall Papers, from 6¼ cts. upwards.
Window Shades, Testers, Borders, &c.
W. P. MARSHALL & CO.,
AT THEIR OLD STAND
No. 87 Wood St., Pittsburgh.
STRIPED FRONT,
Have facilities possessed by no other house West of the Mountains for obtaining newest styles, in refined taste, and at low prices, from the best French and American manufacturers. [Sept. 22, '59.]

CAUTION.—ALL PERSONS ARE hereby notified not to purchase or sell any lager beer kegs with the stamp of the ALTOONA BREWERY thereon, as such kegs never have been and never will be sold from the Brewery. All kegs containing said stamp will be claimed and taken wherever found, by the proprietors of the Brewery to whom they belong.
July 28th, 1859-tf. WILHELM & BRO.

CAN BE BOUGHT AT H. TUCK'S, Winchester & Co's Patent Thumbler Cap Fine Razors
Dec. 1, 1859.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

It is a fact that, at some period, every member of the human family is subject to disease or disturbance of the bodily functions; but, with the aid of a good tonic and the exercise of plain common sense, they may be able so to regulate the system as to secure permanent health. In order to accomplish this desired object, the true course to pursue is certainly that which will produce a natural state of things at the least hazard of vital strength and life. For this purpose, Dr. Hostetter has introduced to this country a preparation bearing his name, which is not a new medicine, but one that has been tried for years, giving satisfaction to all who have used it. The Bitters operate powerfully upon the stomach, bowels, and liver, restoring them to a healthy and vigorous action, and thus, by the simple process of strengthening nature, enable the system to triumph over disease.

For the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Nausea, Flatulency, Loss of Appetite, or any Bilious Complaints, arising from a morbid inaction of the Stomach or Bowels, producing Cramps, Dysentery, Colic, Cholera Morbus, &c., these Bitters have no equal.

Diarrhœa, dysentery or flux, so generally contracted by new settlers, and caused principally by the change of water and diet, will be speedily regulated by a brief use of this preparation. Dyspepsia, a disease which is probably more prevalent, in all its various forms, than any other, and the cause of which may always be attributed to derangements of the digestive organs, can be cured without fail by using HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, as per directions on the bottle. For this disease every physician will recommend Bitters of some kind; then why not use an article known to be infallible? All nations have their Bitters, as a preventive of disease and strengthener of the system in general; and among them all there is not to be found a more healthy people than the Germans, from whom this preparation emanated, based upon scientific experiments which have tended to prove the value of this great preparation in the scale of medical science.

FEVER AND AGUE.—This trying and provoking disease, which fixes its relentless grasp on the body of man, reducing him to a mere shadow in a short time, and rendering him physically and mentally useless, can be driven from the body by the use of HOSTETTER'S RENOWNED BITTERS. Further, none of the above-stated diseases can be contracted, even in exposed situations, if the Bitters are used as per directions. And as they neither create nausea nor offend the palate, and render unnecessary any change of diet or interruption of ordinary pursuits, but promote sound sleep and healthy digestion, the complaint is removed as speedily as is consistent with the production of a thorough and permanent cure.

For Persons in Advanced Years, who are suffering from an enfeebled constitution and infirm body, these Bitters are invaluable as a restorative of strength and vigor, and need only be tried to be appreciated. And to a mother while nursing these Bitters are indispensable, especially where the mother's nourishment is inadequate to the demands of the child, consequently her strength must yield, and here it is where a good tonic, such as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, is needed to impart temporary strength and vigor to the system. Ladies should by all means try this remedy for all cases of debility, and, before so doing, should ask their physician, who, if he is acquainted with the virtue of the Bitters, will recommend their use in all cases of weakness.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against using any of the many imitations or counterfeits, but ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

☞ **Prepared and sold by HOSTETTER & SMITH**, Pittsburgh, Pa., and sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers generally throughout the United States, Canada, South America, and Germany.

☞ Sold by G W Kessler and A Roush, Altoona; G A Jacobs, J K Patton and W G Murray, Hollidaysburg; and S Der lin, Tyrone. [Aug. 25, 1859–1y

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WOOD, EDDY & CO.'S
DELAWARE STATE
LOTTERIES!
CAPITAL PRIZE $100,000

The following

MAGNIFICENT SCHEMES

will be drawn by Wood, Eddy & Co., Managers, at Wilmington, Delaware, in public, under the superintendence of a sworn commissioners appointed by the Governor.

DELAWARE LOTTERY,
CLASS NO. 678,
DRAWS ON SATURDAY, DEC. 31st, 1859.

78 *Numbers*—13 *Drawn Ballots.*

1 Grand Capital Prize of $100,000!

1 Prize of	$20,000	168 Prizes of			$500
1 " "	20,000	65 " "			125
3 " "	10,000	65 " "			100
3 " "	6,000	65 " "			80
3 " "	4,000	65 " "			50
3 " "	3,000	4,810 " "			40
3 " "	2,500	27,040 " "			20
100 " "	1,000				

32,396 Prizes amounting to $1,186,255!

NEARLY 1 PRIZE TO EVERY 2 TICKETS.

Whole Tickets $20; *Halves* $10; *Quarters* $5.

Certificates of Packages in the above scheme will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk:

Certificate of Packages of	26 Whole Tickets,		$299 00
" "	26 Half "		149 50
" "	26 Quarter "		74 75
" "	26 Eighth "		37 37

SPLENDID SCHEME.
TO BE DRAWN
EACH WEDNESDAY IN DECEMBER.

Class 636 Draws Wednesday, December 7, 1859.
Class 648 Draws Wednesday, Dec. 14, 1859.
Class 660 Draws Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1859.
Class 672 Draws Wednesday, Dec. 28, 1859.

Nearly one Prize to every two Tickets!
78 Numbers--13 Drawn Ballots.

1 CAPITAL PRIZE OF $40,000!

1 Prize of	$15,000	65 Prizes of			100
1 "	10,000	65 "			80
1 "	7,500	65 "			50
1 "	5,000	65 "			40
1 "	4,120	180 "			30
30 Prizes of	1,250	4,320 "			20
60 " "	500	27,040 "			10
200 " "	300				

32,396 Prizes amounting to $580,589.

Whole Tickets $10—*Halves* $5—*Quarters* $2,50

Certificates of Packages in the above Scheme, to be drawn each Wednesday, will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk:

Certificates of Package of 26 Whole tickets		$149,50
" "	26 Half "	74,75
" "	26 Quarter "	37,37

IN ORDERING TICKETS OR CERTIFICATES,

Enclose the amount of money to our address, for what you wish to purchase; name the Lottery in which you wish it invested, and whether you wish Wholes, Halves or Quarters, on receipt of which, we send what is ordered, by first mail, together with the scheme.

Immediately after the drawing, a printed drawing, certified to by the Commissioner, will be sent, with an explanation.

Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give the name of their Post Office, County and State.

All communications strictly confidential.

All prizes of $1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing, other prizes at the usual time of 40 days.

Our Single Number Lottery
CLASS 51,
CAPITAL PRIZE $100,000!

Drawn on Saturday, December 17, 1859.

Whole Tickets $20; Halves $10; Quarters $5.

Orders for Tickets or Certificates in the above Schemes to be directed to

WOOD, EDDY & Co., Wilmington, Delaware,
or, WOOD, EDDY & CO., Augusta, Georgia.
or, WOOD, EDDY & CO., Atalanta, Georgia.

☞ The Drawings of the Delaware State Lotteries are published in the New York Times and Herald.

DR. COGGSWELL'S NEW MEDICAL SALE.

Read the following Certificates to the Efficacy of this Medicine in Inflammatory Diseases.

—For the last twelve years I have been more or less troubled with Inflammatory Rheumatism, commencing early in the Spring, and lasting until cold weather set in, when I would be relieved for a while, only to be attacked again in the Spring. All my joints would swell and be very sore, attended with the most acute pain. My feet, shoulders, arms, and hands troubled me most, so much so that I could scarcely walk, and almost always required assistance in dressing. During this time I would try everything I could hear of, in the hope of finding a cure. I also tried several physicians, but nothing seemed to help me the least in the world. About two and a half years ago I was attacked as usual, and as usual tried everything to get rid of it, but to no purpose. I kept growing worse, and finally had to give up and stay in the house, where I was confined about four weeks. This time my feet swelled, and were so sore that I could not stand on them or get on my boots, and my hands swelled to twice their usual size. In fact, I was, to all appearances and belief, totally used up. About this time my parents, who reside in Maine, sent for me to come home. I went and after my arrival I commenced trying another remedy, hoping to be cured, but resulting the same as all others. For weeks I had not been able to dress myself or to raise my hand to my head, and suffering the most excruciating pain all the time.—One day my father came in with a paper in which was advertised Dr. Coggswell's MEDICAL SALT, for Inflammatory Diseases only, and wanted me to read and see what I thought of it. I read and laughed at it, pronounced it a humbug, and told him that I had been humbugged enough. He kept urging me, and at last said I could but try it, and if I would write to Dr. C., giving him a description of my disease, he would pay the expense. Of course I could not refuse such an offer and sent for one box. It came in due season, but my faith was not increased, and I laughed at the idea of so small a dose doing me any good, and told my wife that I believed Dr. C. and his Salt, both humbugs. However, I commenced using it and the result was per fectly astonishing. I could hardly realize it myself. I slept soundly all night, which I had not done for a long time, and when I awoke in the morning, strange as it may seem, I was entirely free from pain. I had then taken but one dose, and bathed freely before going to bed. That morning I felt so well that I hardly knew how to contain myself, and went down stairs and told the folks how well I felt, and from that day to this I have not suffered one moment's pain or had an attack of my once dreaded enemy, Rheumatism. I am perfectly well and hearty, and wherever I have a chance I recommend it. A friend of mine, residing in Brooklyn, is now trying it for a bad case of neuralgic rheumatism, and so far it is working admirably.—This is a long story, but I have told all the facts, which I can bring witnesses to substantiate if necessary; and will again say that in the MEDICAL SALT, a sure cure may be found for all inflammatory diseases, and would urge all who are afflicted to give it a trial. GEO. H. DUNCAN,
No. 117 Wall Street, New York.

When it is remembered that the MEDICAL SALT is as efficacious in all other Inflammatory diseases as in Rheumatism, (see descriptive circulars) it will at once be seen that it is a most valuable remedy. Surely those thus afflicted will find in their own condition and in the above statements enough to induce them to give the MEDICAL SALT a trial.

Price $1,00; Chronic packages, $2,50.

D. C. TAYLOR & CO.,
General Agents, No. 202 Dock Street, Philadelphia.

For sale in Altoona by A. ROUSH; at Bells Mills by B. F. Bell; in Hollidaysburg by Geo. A. Jacobs, and by all enterprising Druggists, and wherever the *Tribune* goes.—Call or send and get a circular, and do not fail to try the New Medical Salt.

Dec. 16, '58-1y.

WEST ALTOONA CABINET WARE ROOM.—The undersigned has lately made arrangements to do business on a more extensive scale than heretofore, and is now prepared to execute all

ORDERS FOR FURNITURE,
OF ANY KIND,
AT SHORTEST NOTICE.

His workmen are acknowledged to be capable of doing *The very best work in the line of Cabinet Making,*

and all those who entrust him with their orders may rely upon receiving finished work.

He keeps a constant supply of Furniture on hand, to which he invites to attention of those intending to

"GO TO HOUSE-KEEPING."

Call on him at at his room in Loudonsville, near the Plank Road.

COFFINS MADE TO ORDER.

November 11, 1858. ISAAC CROMER.

FUSK'S METALIC BURIAL CASES.—This is a new article in this section of the country, although extensively used in the East. They are a sure protection against

WATER AND VERMIN,

and possess many other advantages over the common coffins. The remains of the lamented CLAY and WEBSTER were encased in these cases.

For sale by ISAAC CROMER,
November 11, 1858. Altoona, Pa.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMEMT
FROM THE
Quaker City Publishing House!
100,000 Catalogues,
NEW, ENLARGED AND REVISED—NOW READY FOR DISTRIBUTION.

Superior Inducements to the Public!

☞ A new and sure plan for obtaining GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, and other valuable Prizes. Full particulars given in Catalogues, which will be sent free to all upon application.

Valuable Gifts, worth from 50 cts. to $100, GUARANTEED to each purchaser. $100,000 in Gifts have been distributed to my patrons within the past six months—$150,000 to be distributed during the next six months.

The inducements offered Agents are more liberal than those of any other house in the business.

Having been in the Publishing and Bookselling business for the last eight years, my experience enables me to conduct the Gift Enterprise with the greatest satisfaction to all.

☞ AGENTS WANTED in every Town and County. For full particulars address DUANE RULISON,
Quaker City Publishing House, 33 South Third St.,
Sept. 22, '59–4m. Philadelphia, Pa.

RED LION HOTEL,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

This old established and popular HOTEL, located nearly opposite the place of stopping the passenger cars in Altoona, has passed into the hands of the present proprietor.—Long experience in the business warrants me in assuring the travelling public that no pains will be spared to render guests as comfortable as possible while sojourning under my roof.

The TABLE will constantly be supplied with the very best the market affords.

The BAR will be found to contain an excellent assortment of LIQUORS of all kinds, including that choice beverage *LAGER BEER.*

The STABLE is in charge of an excellent and experienced Ostler.

The proprietor hopes, by his long experience in the busines and the facilities at his command, to make the Red Lion, in all respects, a first class Hotel. The business of the Hotel will be under my own personal supervision. A liberal share of public patronage is kindly solicited.

JOHN W. SCHWEIGERT, *Proprietor.*

May 19, 1859.–tf

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,
Hoofland's German Bitters,
Boerhave's Holland Bitters,
Sandford's Liver Invigorator,
Lindsey's Blood Searcher,
Clarke's Female Pills,
Duponco's Golden Pills,
Wright's, Ayer's, Wilson's and McLane's Pills,
Merchant's Gargling Oil,
Perry Davis' Pain Killer,
Matchett's Fourfold Liniment,
Mexican, Arabian, Nerve and Bone Leniment,
In store and for sale at
Sept. 2,'1858–tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,
Dec. 11, 1856–tf. Masonic Temple.

CREAM TARTER, SUPER-CARBONATE of Soda, Salaratus, Washing Soda, Durkee's Baking Powder, in store and for sale at
Sept. 2, '58–tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

SELLING OFF—A LARGE ASSORTMENT of Boots and Shoes, Buffalo and Calf Overshoes, at H. TUCH'S
Dec. 9, 1858.

CAMPHENE, BURNING FLUID, Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, White Lead and Alcohol, for sale cheap at A. ROUSH'S.

GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

PERSONS wishing to establish Manufactories in a new and thriving place where business is good. See advertisement of the Hammonton Settlement.

CARPET BAGS, TRUNKS, UMBRELLAS, &c, can be bought cheaper at H. TUCH'S than at any other place in the country. [Dec. 9, 1858.

ALL THE STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES AT [1–tf. KESSLER'S.

GREAT CENTRAL LITERARY EMPORIUM,
NO. 1, "ALTOONA HOUSE," ALTOONA, PA.

WHERE MAY BE HAD ALL THE popular Publications of the day, as follows:

New York Ledger,
New York Mercury,
New York Weekly,
Scientific American,
New York Waverly,
Flag of Our Union,
True Flag,
American Union,
Saturday Evening Post,
Dollar Newspaper,
Sunday Dispatch,
Sunday Mercury,
Waverly Magazine,
Frank Leslie's Pictorial,
Harper's Weekly,
Ballou's Pictorial,
Frank Leslie's Ill. German Paper,
The Illustrated World, (German,)
The New York Clipper,
National Police Gazette,
United States Mail Gazette,
Boston Pilot,
Irish American,
Home Journal,
Banner of Light,
Spiritual Telegraph,
Weekly Tribune.
Porter's Spirit,
Life Illustrated,
Frank Leslie's Budget of Fun,
Yankee Notions,
Alloona Tribune.
Nic Nax.

DAILIES:

Philadelphia Press, *New York Herald,*
Public Ledger, *New York Tribune,*
Pittsburgh True Press, *New York Times.*
North American, *Pittsburgh Chronicle,*
Evening Bulletin, *Evening Argus,* *Pennsylvanian.*

To which will be added the new publications as they appear.

Magazines, Novels and Romances, Miscellaneous Books, School Books, Copy Books, Slates, Pens, Pencils, Inks,

Cap and Letter Paper, Envelopes, Drawing and Tissue Paper, Blank Books and in fact every thing in the Stationary line. Toys, Notions and Games of every variety, Pictures and Picture Frames, &c.

☞ A choice lot of CONFECTIONERIES, of every variety. Also, TOBACCO and SEGARS of the best quality.

N. B.—We are sole Wholesale and Retail Agent, in this county, for ROBIN'S CELEBRATED SALVE. It does *positively* cure all sores to which it is applied. Try it.

7-tf.] H. FETTINGER.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
At McCormicks Store,

Just arrived, and are now being offered for sale, an extensive assortment of goods of all the different styles and qualities, which the Philadelphia market affords, in the way of dress goods for Ladies together with all the more heavy Cotton and Woolen goods for Gentlemen and Boys wear, also a full stock of

READY MADE CLOTHING

for men and Boys, of the best material and latest Styles, in the way of business. dress and over coats, with pants and vests to match. Also all the different varieties of goods, such as

Hardware,
Queensware,
Cedarware,
Tinware,
Stoneware, &c,

GROCERIES,

Family Syrups, Sugar Brown and White, Teas, &c., &c., with all the variety of spices necessary to make up a full assortment.

Men's fine and coarse Boots and Bootees,
Ladies " " " with & without heels,

in all the different material, with a very pretty assortment of Bonnets.

ALSO MEN AND BOYS LEDGER HATS AND CAPS.

and all other articles usually kept in country stores, all of which will be sold as low as in any other house in town for cash, or exchanged for any article of produce, which can be consumed here or exchanged in the East for others.

Altoona, Oct. 27th, '59.

EIGHT REASONS
WHY
EVERYBODY SHOULD GO TO
C. B. SINK'S STORE.

1. HE HAS A LARGE AND WELL selected assortment of Dry Goods, which are worth going to see.

2. He has an unequalled stock of *GROCERIES*, fresh and pure, which he will sell as reasonable as any merchant in the place.

3. He has *Hardware, Queensware, Stoneware, &c.*, of the most fashionable styles.

4. He has a large case of *Boots and Shoes* for Gents, Ladies, Misses and Children, embracing all sizes, qualities and prices.

5. He has a fine stock of *HATS* for Summer wear—just the pink of the fashion—all very cheap.

6. He keeps always on hand an assortment of *Ready-Made Clothing*, to suit the season.

7. He has on hand a large stock of *Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings*, which he will make up to order on short notice in a fashionable style, and at prices which must give satisfaction.

8. He don't ask people to come and buy—only to come and examine his stock, feeling confident that if they but examine they will buy without asking.

Altoona, May 5, 1859.–tf

GREAT OPENING
OF
SPRING AND SUMMER
GOODS.

J. B. HILEMAN HAS JUST RECEIVED and opened at his old stand, on Virginia st., a large and attractive assortment of seasonable goods, comprising all the novelties in

EREGES, DUCALS, LAWNS, GINGHAMS, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, HOSIERY & GLOVES, and all varieties and textures of *LADIES DRESS GOODS*, together with a full assortment of goods for gentlemen's wear, such as Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings.

Also a full stock of Hardware, Queensware and

GROCERIES,

and an assortment of

BOOTS, SHOES, GAITORS, &C.,

of all sizes and styles, which equal to any in the market, and will be sold at fair prices.

Having recently enlarged my store-room, I can now display my largely increased stock to better advantage and would respectfully invite everybody to call.

May 12, 1859.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.–1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of

BOOTS OR SHOES

he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed.

Remember my shop is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store.

September 3, '57–tf] JOHN H. ROBERTS.

THE HAMMONTON FARMER.—A newspaper devoted to Literature and Agriculture, also setting fourth full accounts of the new settlement of Hammonton, in New Jersey, can be subscribed for at only 25 cents per annum.

Inclose postage stamps for the amount. Address to Editor of the Farmer, Hammonton, P. O. Atlantic Co., New Jersey. Those wishing cheap land, of the best quality, in one of the healthiest and most delightful climates in the Union, and where crops are never cut down by frosts, the terrible scourge of the north, see advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—THE UNdersigned has now on hand and will sell cheap at his store in the Masonic Temple, a large and complete assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES, ready made, or made to order, Overshoes, Ladies' Sandals, Gum Shoes, Cork Soles, and everything in his line of business, of the best quality and on the most reasonable terms. All custom work warranted.

Jan. 2, '56–tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

SOLUTION OF CITRATE OF MAGNESIA—a cooling Cathartic, mild in its operation and agreeable to the taste, prepared and for sale by
June 24, 1858.–tf A. ROUSH, *Druggist.*

SHOE Business and Factories can be carried on profitably at Hammonton See advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

NEW AGRICULTURAL SETTLEMENT.—*To all wanting Farms, a rare opportunity to a delightful and healthy climate 25 miles Southeast of Philadelphia, on the Camden and Atlantic Railroad New Jersey.*

An old estate consisting of several thousands of acres of *productive soil* has been divided into Farms of various sizes *to suit the purchaser.* A population of some *Fifteen Hundred*, from various parts of the Middle States and New England have settled there the past year, improved their places, and raised *excellent crops.* The price of the land is at the low sum of from $15 to $20 per acre, the soil is of the best quality for the production of *Wheat, Clover, Corn, Peaches, Grapes and Vegetables.* IT IS CONSIDERED THE BEST FRUIT SOIL IN THE UNION. The place is perfectly secure from frosts—the destructive enemy of the farmer. Crops of grain, grass and fruit are now growing and can be seen. By examining the place itself a correct judgment can be formed of the productiveness of the land. The terms are made easy to secure the rapid improvement of the land, which is only sold for *actual improvement.* The result has been, that within the past year, some *three hundred houses* have been erected, two mills, one steam, four stores, some forty vineyards and Peach orchards, planted, and a large number of other improvements, making it a desirable and active place of business.

THE MARKET,

as the reader may perceive from its location, is the

BEST IN THE UNION.

Produce bringing double the price than in locations away from the city, and more than double the price than the West. It is known that the earliest and best fruits and vegetables in this latitude come from New Jersey, and are annually exported to the extent of millions.

In locating here, the settler has many advantages. He is within a few hours ride of the great cities of New England and Middle States, he is near his old friends and associations, he is in a *settled country where every improvement of comfort and civilization is at hand.* He can buy every article he wants at reasonable prices, and will be produce article he wants at reasonable prices, and will he produce for the highest, (in the West this is reversed,) he has schools for his children *divine service*, and will enjoy an open winter, and delightful climate, where fevers are utterly unknown. The result of the change upon those from the north, has generally been to restore them to an excellent state of health.

In the way of building and improving, lumber can be obtained at the mills at the rate of $10 to $15 per thousand. Bricks from the brick yard opened in the place, every article can be procured in the place, good carpenters are at hand, and there is no place in the Union where buildings and improvements can be made cheaper.

The reader will at once be struck with the advantages there presented, and ask himself why the property has not been taken up before. The reason is, it was never thrown in the market; and unless these statements were correct, no one would be invited to examine the land before purchasing. This all are expected to do. They will see land under cultivation, such is the extent of the settlement that they will no doubt, meet persons, from their own neighborhood; they will witness the improvements and can judge the character of the population. If they come with a view to settle, they should come prepared to stay a day or two and be ready to purchase, as locations cannot be held on refusal.

There are two daily trains to Philadelphia, and to all settlers who improve, the Railroad Company gives a Free Ticket for six months, and a half-price Ticket for three years.

THE TOWN OF HAMMONTON.

In connection with the agricultural settlement, a new and thriving town has naturally arisen, *which presents inducements for any kind of business, particularly stores and manufactories. The Shoe business* could be carried on in this place and market to good advantage, also cotton business. and manufactories of *agricultural implements* or *Founderies for casting small articles.* The improvement has been so rapid as to insure a constant and permanent increase of business. Town lots of a good size, we do not sell small ones, as it would effect the improvement of the place, can be had at from $100 and upwards.

The *Hammonton Farmer*, a monthly literary and agricultural sheet, containing full information of Hammonton, can be obtained at 25 cents per annum.

Title indisputable—warrantee deeds given, clear of all incumbrance when money is paid. Route to the land, leave Vine street wharf, Philadelphia for Hammonton by Railroad, at 7½ A. M., or 4½ P. M. Fare 90 cents. When there inquire for Mr. Byrnes. Boarding conveniences on hand. Parties had better stop with Mr. Byrnes, a principal, until they have decided as to purchasing, as he will show them over the land in his carriage, free of expense Letters and applications can be addressed to Landis & Byrnes, Hammonton P. O., Atlantic Co., New Jersey, or S. B. Coughlin, 232 South Fifth Street, Philadelphia.—Maps and information cheerfully furnished.

June 30 '59–6m.]

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD respectfully inform his old customers and the public generally that he has just received a LARGE and HANDSOME assortment of

CLOTHS,
AND
Cassimeres,
VESTINGS,

which he is now and is prepared to offering for sale, make them up in the latest style & most durable manner, as none but the best workmen are employed, and all work made will be warranted to give satisfaction. Stock of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, such as SHIRTS, COLLARS, UNDERSHIRTS, Drawers, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Stocks, Suspenders, Hosiery, &c., &c.; also a large assortment of READY MADE CLOTHING, all of which he is determined to sell as cheap as they can be bought this side of Philadelphia. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine my stock, as I shall take pleasure in showing them. Doors open at all times from 6 A. M. until 9 P. M. Admittance free.

May 6 1859–tf THOMAS ELWAY.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

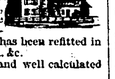
These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.

Aug. 19, 1858–tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Blair county and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sheriff Rees, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.—Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.



The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.

His TABLE will be furnished with the very best the market can afford, and no pains or trouble will be spared to render those who may choose to favor him with their patronage comfortable and happy during their stay with him.

His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance!

☞ The Williamsburg stage, which makes daily trips between this place and Williamsburg, stops at the Logan Hotel.

Dec. 17, 1857,—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.—Did you hear the news from Europe? If you have not, we will tell you what it is. It is that HENRY TUCH has just returned from the Eastern cities with a large supply of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

consisting of all styles and qualities of Overcoats, Dress Coats, Vests, Pants, Boots and Shoes, and everything kept in an establishment of the kind, all of which he offers at unprecedentedly low prices for cash. Having purchased his stock at cash prices, he is thereby enabled to sell very low.

He invites all those in want of anything in his line to give him a call, feeling sure that he will be able to give satisfaction. HENRY TUCH.

Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.–tf

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS! In consequence of the hard times, I have concluded to put down the price of my OYSTERS to the lowest possible standard. They will hereafter be served up on the Chafing Dish at TWENTY CENTS, and roasted in the shell and served up with all other accompaniments, TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. They will also be furnished, in every other way, at prices to correspond with the times.

JOHN KEIFFER,
Dec. 17, tf.] Logan House, Hollidaysburg.

CONCENTRATED LYE, FOR MAKING Soft Soap, and Soap Powder for Washing, one pound equal to six of common Soap; Castile Soap, Palm Soap, Chemical Soap, etc., on hand and for sale at
June 10, 1858.–tf] A. ROUSH'S.

LIQUORS.—A LARGE AMOUNT of well selected LIQUORS has been received at the "LOGAN HOUSE," Hollidaysburg, which will be sold at the lowest cash prices, wholesale or retail. The man who wants has only to call. [Dec. 17, tf.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of J. B HILEMAN.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMades, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by
1–tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPtions just received and for sale by
Oct. 16-tf] J. B. HILEMAN.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at
KESSLER'S.

MARIA L. DE PEYSTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL.—That institution, which is located in Altoona, Blair County, Penn'a, will be opened on the 1st MONDAY in MAY. It is intended as a permanent School; and will connect with it a Male & Female Department. In the Collegiate; or, if desired, their education completed. In the Female department, instruction will be given in any, or all of the different branches, either solid or ornamental, taught in our best Female Seminaries.

The year will be divided into two Sessions of five months each—the Summer Session to commence on the 1st Monday of May, ending on the last Wednesday of September. The Winter Session to commence on the 1st Monday in November, ending on the last Wednesday of March. The Sessions will be divided into two quarters of eleven weeks each. Terms, per quarter, as follows—viz.:

SOLID BRANCHES.

Primary (including Reading, Writing, Orthography, Arithmetic, Grammar, and Geography, &c.)	$4,00
Advanced (including the Natural Sciences, Mathematics, Mental and Moral Philosophy, Logic, the Languages and Composition &c.)	$5,00

EXTRA, OR ORNAMENTAL BRANCHES.

Music (Including use of instrument)	$10,00
Drawing,	$3,00
Painting (In water Colors)	3,00
Needle work,	2,00

Instructions in vocal music gratis. One half the above charges, to be paid invariably in advance.

R. W. OLIVER, *Supprintendent Male Dep't.*
A. B. CLARK, " *Female* "
Mrs. ——— *Principal of Male* "
Miss C. M. CLARK, " *Female* "

March 10, 1859.–tf

HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS
JOHN McKEAGE, successor to A. W. Kinney,
Manufacturer of all kinds of
PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL MARBLE WORK.
All work finished at this establishment warranted to give satisfaction.
Hollidaysburg, Dec. 30, 1858–tf.

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.—The undersigned would beg leave to announce to the citizens of Blair county and vicinity that he has opened his new Store on *Virginia street, three doors below the Superintendent's Office*, where he has just received from the East and West a large assortment of

Foreign and Domestic Liquors,

consisting as follows:

French Otard Brandy, Cognac Brandy, Peach Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Old Burgundy Wine, Old Port Wine, Jamaica Rum, Holland Gins Old Rye Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Rhine Wine,

which he has himself imported. Retailers of Liquors and Farmers will find it to their advantage to buy of him, as he will sell at CITY PRICES.

He will also keep constantly on hand an assortment of

GROCERIES,

Such as Flour, Bacon, Salt, Fish, Tobacco, Segars, Syrup, Sugar, Coffee, &c., &c.,

All of which will be sold cheap for cash or Country Produce.

Our friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

LOUIS PLACK.

Altoona, May 26, 1859.–tf

PERSONS wishing to change their business to a rapidly increasing Country, a New Settlement where hundreds are going. Where the climate is mild and delightful. See advertisement of the Hammonton Settlement, in another column.

THE GREEN BOOK. JUST PUBLISHED, 150 PAGES, PRICE 25 Cents; On Single and Married life; or, the Institution of Marriage; its Intent, Obligations, and Physical and Legal Disqualifications; the *rational* treatment of all private diseases in both sexes, &c. To which is added a poetical essay, entitled "*Callipaedise*:" or the art of having and rearing beautiful and healthy children, by the *late* ROBERT J. CULVERWELL, Esq., M. D.

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